GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:8012
ANSWERED ON:17.05.2000
REVISION OF SC/ST LIST
RAMDAS ATHAWALE

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to bring any comprehensive Bill to settle all the cases pertaining to addition and deletion of the names of SC/ST`s in the scheduled list;

(b) if so, when and if not, reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government have received any suggestions and requests from the hon`ble Members and other social organizations in this regard;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the action taken or likely to be taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

SMT. MANEKA GANDHI

(a)to(e) All requests/proposals pertaining to addition, deletion and modification in the lists of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes are being processed as per the approved modalities. This is a continuing process. Bill, in respect of cases which fulfil the required criteria as laid down, will be processed for consideration.